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BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

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LANCASTER COUNTY
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IN THE MATTER OF ENDORSING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A REHABILIATION PLAN FOR THE UPPER SALT CREEK SITE 3-A FLOOD CONTROL AND ROAD STRUCTURE IN LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

RESOLUTION NO. R-11-0026

Whereas: The Lancaster County Commissioners, Lower Platte South Natural Resources District and the Natural Resources Conservation Service have a shared interest and responsibility in flood control and road structures as designated by past agreements.

Whereas: The Natural Resources Conservation Service administers the Watershed Rehabilitation Program to help local sponsors restore and renovate watershed structures to meet current dam-safety standards and allow for up to additional 100 years of life.

Whereas: The Lower Platte South Natural Resources District is the local sponsor that has operation and maintenance responsibilities for the Upper Salt Creek site 3-A flood water-retarding road structure located on West Stagecoach Road at SW 2nd Street.

Whereas: The Natural Resources Conservation Service and Nebraska Department of Natural Resources conducted a review of Upper Salt Creek site 3-A to assess whether or not this structure met current dam-safety requirements. The Upper Salt Creek site 3-A has met its design life and downstream development has resulted in a changed dam safety-hazard classification from a Significant hazard class (b) to a High hazard class (c).

Whereas: Lancaster County, Nebraska, understands that the failure to correct Upper Salt Creek site 3-A deficiencies could result in increased flooding downstream, increased property damage to homes, utilities and roads, road closure and possible loss of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of County Commissioners of Lancaster County, Nebraska that Lancaster County, Nebraska, does hereby endorse that the Natural Resources Conservation Service and Lower Platte South Natural Resources District complete a rehabilitation plan for Upper Salt Creek site 3-A to correct the deficiencies and apply for federal funding assistance to rehabilitate the site.

Be it Further Resolved by The Board of County Commissioners of Lancaster County, Nebraska, that Lancaster County and the Lower Platte South Natural Resources District will develop funding details for this rehabilitation project at Upper Salt Creek site 3-A in a future agreement.

Be It Further Resolved, The Board of County Commissioners of Lancaster County, Nebraska, hereby designates the Lancaster County Engineer and/or his designees to perform the duties of reviewing and assuring county road specifications are met for the Lancaster County Engineering Department.

Adopted this 12 day of 1,2011 at Lincoln, Nebraska

BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LANCASTER COUNTY, NEBRASKA

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

This ____ day of

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Deputy County Attorney

For JOE KELLY

County Attorney